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PROCEEDINGS

EIGHTH DAY — TUESDAY, JANUARY 24, 1995

The house met at 10 a.m. and was called to order by the speaker.

The roll of the house was called and a quorum was announced present (Record 11).

Present — Mr. Speaker; Allen; Alonzo; Alvarado; Averitt; Bailey; Berlanga; Black; Bosse; Brady; Brimer; Carona; Carter; Chisum; Clemons; Coleman; Combs; Cook; Corte; Counts; Crabb; Craddick; Cuellar, H.; Cuellar, R.; Culberson; Danburg; Davila; Davis; De La Garza; Dear; Delisi; Denny; Driver; Dukes; Duncan; Dutton; Edwards; Ehrhardt; Eiland; Elkins; Farrar; Finnell; Gallego; Giddings; Glaze; Goodman; Goolsby; Gray; Greenberg; Grusendorf; Gutierrez; Haggerty; Hamric; Harris; Hartnett; Hawley; Heflin; Hernandez; Hightower; Hilbert; Hilderbran; Hill; Hirschi; Hochberg; Holzheuser; Horn; Howard; Hudson; Hunter, B.; Hunter, T.; Jackson; Janek; Johnson; Jones, D.; Jones, J.; Junell; Kamel; King; Krusee; Kubiak; Kuempel; Lewis, G.; Lewis, R.; Longoria; Luna; Madden; Marchant; Maxey; McCall; McCoulskey; McDonald; Moffat; Moreno; Mowery; Munoz; Naishtat; Nixon; Oakley; Ogden; Oliveira; Patterson; Pickett; Pitts; Place; Price; Puente; Rabuck; Ramsay; Rangel; Raymond; Reyna; Rhodes; Rodriguez; Romo; Rusling; Sadler; Saunders; Seidlits; Serna; Shields; Siebert; Smithee; Solis; Solomons; Stiles; Swinford; Talton; Telford; Thompson; Tillery; Torres; Turner, B.; Turner, S.; Uher; Van de Putte; Walker; West; Williamson; Willis; Wohlgenuth; Wolens; Woolley; Yarbrough; Yost; Zbranek.

Absent, Excused — Alexander; Conley; Park.

Absent — Bomer; Wilson.

The invocation was offered by Reverend Christy Wilson, Riverbend Church, Austin, as follows:

Heavenly Father, we find ourselves living in times where it is often difficult to trust.

So on this day, we thank you for the trust that the people of Texas have placed in the men and women in this room.

Give them the wisdom and courage to make the decisions that will not only benefit the people of today, but also generations to come.

Thank you for leading us as we march to the beat of amazing grace. Amen.

LEAVES OF ABSENCE GRANTED

The following member was granted leave of absence for today because of important business:

Conley on motion of S. Turner.

The following member was granted leave of absence for today because of important business in the district:

Park on motion of Denny.

The following member was granted leave of absence for today because of illness:

Alexander on motion of T. Hunter.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE

Austin, Texas, January 24, 1995

The Honorable Speaker of the House of Representatives
House Chamber

The Honorable
Mr. Speaker:

I am directed by the Senate to inform the House that the Senate has passed the following:

SCR 32 by Harris, inviting the Honorable George W. Bush, Governor of the State of Texas, to address the 74th Legislature in Joint Session.

HCR 38 by Ramsay, designating January 25, 1995, as Mount Pleasant Day.

HCR 42 by Renato Cuellar, recognizing January 23, 1995, as Grapefruit Day in Texas.

Respectfully,
Betty King
Secretary of the Senate

CAPITOL PHYSICIAN

Speaker Laney presented Dr. Raymond Smith of Fredericksburg as the "Doctor for the Day."

The house welcomed Dr. Smith and thanked him for his participation in the Physician of the Day Program sponsored by the Texas Academy of Family Physicians.

(Brimer in the chair)

SCR 29 - ADOPTED (Carter - House Sponsor)

Representative Carter moved to suspend all necessary rules to take up and consider at this time **SCR 29**.

The motion prevailed without objection.

The chair laid before the house the following resolution:

SCR 29, Recognizing the 100th anniversary of the founding of the chiropractic profession.

The resolution was read and was adopted without objection.

HR 58 - ADOPTED

Representative Hirschi moved to suspend all necessary rules to take up and consider at this time **HR 58**.

The motion prevailed without objection.

The chair laid before the house the following resolution:

By Hirschi and Delisi,

HR 58, Designating February 1995 as Youth Tobacco Prevention Month in Texas.

The resolution was read and was adopted without objection.

HR 63 - ADOPTED

Representative Edwards moved to suspend all necessary rules to take up and consider at this time **HR 63**.

The motion prevailed without objection.

The chair laid before the house the following resolution:

By Wilson,

HR 63, Commending foster parents for their dedication to serving the needs of children.

(Speaker in the chair)

The resolution was adopted without objection.

SCR 32 - ADOPTED
(Brimer - House Sponsor)

Representative Brimer moved to suspend all necessary rules to take up and consider at this time **SCR 32**.

The motion prevailed without objection.

The speaker laid before the house the following resolution:

SCR 32

BE IT RESOLVED by the Senate of the State of Texas, the House of Representatives concurring, That the Senate and the House meet in Joint Session in the Hall of the House of Representatives at 11:00 a.m., Tuesday, February 7, 1995; and, be it further

RESOLVED, That the Honorable George W. Bush, Governor of the State of Texas, be, and is hereby, invited to address the 74th Legislature in Joint Session at this time.

The resolution was adopted without objection.

COMMITTEE MEETING ANNOUNCEMENT

The following committee meeting was announced:

Select Committee on **SB 19**, 1:30 p.m. today, E2.012, Capitol Extension.

ADJOURNMENT

Representative Kubiak moved that the house adjourn until 10 a.m. tomorrow.

The motion prevailed without objection.

The house accordingly, at 10:22 a.m., adjourned until 10 a.m. tomorrow.